

LOCALS and PERSONALS

Joseph Brick attended the ball game at Raton Sunday, and reports a very good time.

Jim Livingston made a business trip to Raton Tuesday and returned home the same day.

Work on the new John Leonard residence was started last Monday. Let the good work go on.

Frederic Whitney returned from Raton Tuesday, where he has been transacting business for the past few days.

A nice, warm shower paid us a short visit Sunday afternoon, and aided greatly in settling the dust in these parts.

E. H. Fisher, engineer for the Town-site company, arrived in the city Monday night and has taken charge of the work here.

Superintendent Dedman of the Rocky Mountain railroad, was in town Monday, looking after business interests here.

There was a large party from Cimarron attending the ball game at Raton, between Raton and Dawson, last Sunday.

J. D. Stevens, of the firm of Whitely & Stevens, left Tuesday for a combined business and pleasure trip to Maxwell City.

Hon. Charles Spiess, district attorney from Las Vegas, is enjoying a few days' outing at the Chas. Springer ranch east of town.

Mr. Masten and family, of Chico, were in town last week visiting at the home of Henry Livian. They returned home Monday.

Some of the construction camps on the Cimarron & Northwestern paid off the boys, making things quite lively in and about Cimarron.

Sam Collier, chief clerk to Chief Engineer Allen, of the Cimarron & Northwestern R. R., was in town on Monday and Tuesday, taking in the sights.

Supt. Dedman and E. Quality passed through town on a special train Monday, bound for Ute Park on an inspection trip. They returned to Raton that night.

Captain "Tommy" Brooks, who presided behind the stick for Raton last Sunday, spent Monday with his old friends at Trinidad and returned home Tuesday evening.

William Bruggerman and George Doyle, of the Colliery ranch on the Vermejo, were in town looking up old friends the first of the week, returning home Tuesday morning.

The long distance telephone formerly located at the store of the Cimarron Mercantile company, was moved this week to the store of the Cimarron Stationery company.

The work on Duckworth & Marling's cold storage plant was completed Saturday night, and it will soon be filled with the beer now on hand, waiting for the building to be used.

Dr. Gaines was a welcome visitor for a few hours last Monday while passing through en route for Elizabethtown, where he will stop for a few days, before returning to Taos, where he is now located.

W. L. Mann, the sewing machine agent whose headquarters are at Wagonmound, passed through the city Tuesday enroute home from Dawson where he had been called by the illness of a daughter.

Some of the boys have become a little careless about the use of firearms lately, and also about the time and place they were discharged. As a result Deputy Sheriff O'Sullivan has been keeping late hours for the past week with no poor results.

L. A. Owings and J. A. Brink, both representing the Southern Colorado Mercantile company, of Trinidad, were in the local stores this week looking after business. The gentlemen speak very highly of Cimarron and of the flourishing conditions here.

Never mind about names, but some of the boys from the North Side were out of town last Sunday. Of course, they were not out to catch any fish, they simply wanted to ride around in the rain in order to get wet. Next time they go we would advise the use of silver bait.

The Rocky Mountain section crew placed a handcar on the depot platform Monday, but in doing so left it in such a way that it was struck by extra 102 returning from Ute park. The handcar was badly damaged, as well as breaking the step off the left side of the engine.

W. S. Lark, who has been in charge of the Cimarron Lumber company's

work at Kohler, was in Cimarron Saturday, making a final settlement. Mr. Lark intends to make Raton his headquarters in the near future, where he will figure on some large contracts for the Raton Fuel company.

C. I. Lewis, representing the McCaskey Register company of Alliance, Ohio, was in Cimarron Saturday and Sunday demonstrating their new credit system, which is said to be one of the best in the country for doing away with the many disadvantages of the old style of bookkeeping.

The household furnishings of S. O. Wonder which have been on the road for the past month arrived this week from Arkansas. It seems no idle dream about the trains in Arkansas being slow. Mr. and Mrs. Wonder will reside in the small dwelling formerly owned by Wm. Marling.

C. F. Remsburg, E. H. Kinney and Mrs. Remsburg made a pleasure trip Tuesday from Raton to Dawson by the way of Koehler and through Cimarron in one of the Sperry automobiles. Remarkably good time was made on the trip. The party left here for Raton about 2 o'clock, expecting to make the return trip in about two and a half hours.

Baseball practice has taken root again since the defeat of Dawson by Raton last Sunday. The boys have been out this week hard at work making a few changes and putting the finishing touches to the whole team. There will be little doubt as to the result of the game on the Fourth with the Gate City club. Well, here's luck boys, go after 'em hard.

Fire was discovered in a box car standing on the Rocky Mountain siding, at 9 o'clock Monday morning, but was extinguished before any serious damage was done. It was learned later that the fire was caused by two graders who had a little more than was good for them, and had accidentally set the car afire. The local justice was easy with them and let them off with a fine of \$25 and costs or thirty days in the county jail. The fines were paid and the men released.

FOLSOM

Miss Trail has returned to her home in Missouri.

Mr. Wenger, Miss Lucy Creighton, and Mr. and Mrs. Murray were entertained at dinner Wednesday by Mrs. Rook.

Dannie Wenger is down from Trinidad and will spend several weeks with friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Bard Sumpter was in town, Wednesday, on a shopping trip.

Mrs. Thorp, who has been spending a few weeks with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Samuel Panley, near Kenton, and who returned to her home here Sunday, was obliged to return to the home of her daughter-in-law a few days later, owing to the condition of the latter's health.

Mrs. Pol Padilla, nee Keleher, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Cordova, in Trinchera pass on Saturday, June 8. This was a particularly sad case, as Mrs. Padilla had been married only two weeks. Her husband had a home all prepared for his bride in Folsom, but she had not been well for several weeks and died while on her wedding trip. The bereaved husband has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

Mrs. Skelton and Mrs. Simpson have opened dressmaking parlors at the home of the latter.

D. B. Wenger has his large double store completed and well stocked with a fine line of goods, including pianos and organs, bedroom suits, stoves, ranges, chairs, tables, etc.

Mr. Ryan has two new buildings on Wall street nearly completed and will probably be occupied as stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are living in the Gay Mellon house. Mrs. Johnson has a class in music.

Folsom has a weekly newspaper once more. The first issue came out last Thursday, printed half in Spanish and half in English.

The day trains will be put on today, June 15. One goes south at 10 a. m., and one north at 2 p. m.

Mrs. D. B. Wenger and two daughters of Trinidad, arrived in town last night and will remain here a few weeks.

Mrs. John King and daughters spent the day with Mrs. Murray, Friday.

Mrs. Drew's daughter, Mrs. Staples, and husband of Denver, are here visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Staples is in poor health.

Where to Stop in Raton.

Palace Hotel opposite Santa Fe depot. Rooms 50 cents and \$1. If

The world is waiting for the man who knows.

BEADS ARE SMART. S' EVER.

Are Worn with Almost Every Variety of Costume.

Beads are having a renewed run in fashion's favor. They are worn with more discretion than was often displayed in the course of the vogue of a similar whim a few years ago.

Long chains are not now used, but merely necklaces, just enough to fall prettily on the bosom. Coral, which is tolerably expensive, is first favorite; the new coral necklace is of round beads carefully graduated.

The handsome Japanese coral is a novelty; it is susceptible of a high polish, but is not pink, coming in a white, scarcely tinted with a faint pink shade.

Ordinary colored glass beads when used must be chosen to match the color of the gown, or to harmonize correctly therewith; and the appearance of such a necklace is improved by a cut crystal being strung between each of the colored beads.

Gold beads, graduated in size, the largest, of course, in front, are most pretty on fur, and as these beads are hollow, the cost of such a necklace is not high. Those who possess the gold beads once worn by their grandmothers are most lucky.

Beads are also seen made up in the guise of tiny nets for the hair, set upon gold threads. If delicately done these are charming. They may not be worn by every one, however. As a rule only the very youthful-looking charmers may safely employ them.

NEWEST TAILOR MADE SUITS.

French Tussore Excellent Material for Outing Wear.

French tussore, which is much handsomer, finer, and with a greater sheen than the other rough silks, is the medium for some tailor made suits, the most conventional having a killed skirt with a semi-fitting jacket, double breasted, and of moderate length. While this might be said to be the favorite model, some tailors favor the tight fitting coat.

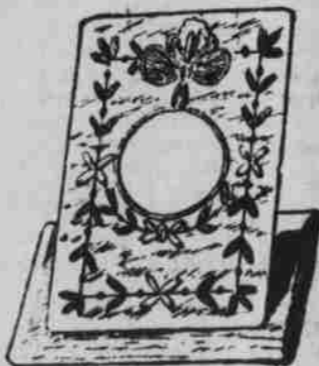
A dull rose tussore silk is made tailored coat and skirt with no relief except large pearl buttons and an adjustable lingerie collar of embroidered linen. This is a charming costume for outing wear, where extreme serviceability need not be considered. Add to it a panama hat turned up in front and decorated by a wide scarf of soft taffeta matching the pink of the hat. With a blouse of sheer white batiste, with pert lace edged frills, and you have a French version of the outing costume. The scarf trimmed panama is a youthful type of hat, but it can be bent and draped into becomingness, and it is a particularly piquant and natty hat to wear with a morning costume. Long chiffon scarfs knotted behind and falling over the shoulders often are substituted for the scarfs of silk.

DESIGN FOR WATCH STAND.

Wood Foundation With Silk Worked in Ribbon Embroidery.

Two pieces of thin wood about five inches deep and 3 1/4 wide are used as the foundation for this pretty little stand. The lower one forming the foundation should be well sandpapered to make it smooth, then stained either dark green or brown. The upper piece that forms the rest for the watch is covered with silk worked in ribbon embroidery.

When worked, the silk should be strained tightly over one side of the



wood, the edges fixed at the back with secotine; cover a piece of paper a trifle smaller than the wood with silk or sateen, then secotine to the back to make all neat. A brass hook should next be screwed into the center of top above the plain circle, from which suspend the watch.

This ornamental piece must now be fixed to the foundation by two little supports of stained wood about three inches long, that must be fixed by secotine or by small brass tacks.

Gown for the Evening.

Soft silks and silk materials to be had this season are excellent for a simple style of evening dress, and there should be always at hand one good silk or satin evening frock to be ready for emergencies. The flowered and striped silks are attractive, and even the plain satins made up quite simply are being worn a great deal. Satin, if gracefully draped and if of a becoming shade, requires little fancy trimming. Gold or silver embroidery on a white or yellow satin is now preferred to any lace, and only a small amount of the embroidery is required to trim a gown most effectively.

Leather Hatpin.

A novel use of leather is in the form of a hatpin. It is rather large, cone-shaped, embossed and stained in a handsome design representing leaves and fruit or flowers, very rich but yet subdued in color. Though it looks massive it is hollow and very light weight, and it gleams like a bit of enamel on the spring hat.

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DESIRES STATUE BUILT TO HONOR SENATOR ROSS

The recent death at Albuquerque, N. M., of ex-Senator Edmund G. Ross makes it appropriate to print the first note that Mr. Ross wrote to his wife after his vote for the acquittal of President Johnson. The note is in the possession of Mrs. George Leis, of Lawrence, Kas., who is a daughter of Mr. Ross. Mrs. Leis allowed it to be copied some months ago, but only now consents to its publication. It is written upon a half sheet of senate stationery, is dated "22d," meaning the 22d day of May, 1868, and reads as follows:

"Don't be discouraged, dear wife, it's all coming out right. This storm of passion will soon pass away, and then the people, the whole people, will thank and bless me for having saved the country by my single vote from the greatest peril through which it has ever passed, though none but God can ever know the struggle it has cost me. Millions of men are cursing me today, but they will bless me tomorrow. But few knew of the precipice upon which we all stood on Saturday morning last. Your aff. Hus."

We are accustomed to think of Senator Ross' vote in the Johnson trial as the most heroic act in American history, incomparably more dif-

ficult than any deed of valor upon the field of battle. But why, it may be asked, was Ross' vote more heroic than that of the other six Republicans, who also voted for acquittal? There would seem to be some difference, chiefly for two reasons. The other men, especially Fessenden, Grimes and Trumbull, had been longer in public life, were more accustomed to its storm and stress, and better able to withstand its pressure. Second and more important, the pressure brought to bear upon Mr. Ross was vastly greater than upon the other men. His constituency was the most radical of all, and it was believed to the last that he could be intimidated. He, therefore, cast his vote in the face of the greatest difficulties. No man was ever more foully abused, yet he bore personal abuse and retirement to private life alike with patience and without bitterness. If the people of Kansas wish to atone for the injury they did to Mr. Ross during his lifetime, they can scarcely do better than place his statue in the capitol at Washington in the hall reserved for statues of notable men of the several states. Such a statue would commemorate an heroic act, a valiant soldier, and an honest man.

Tony Scherer Reported Missing.

Tony Scherer, who has been in charge of the construction work for the Maxwell Mercantile company on their new building here, left town suddenly Sunday morning for parts unknown.

Scherer not only took his own effects, but neglected to leave behind about \$100 of the company's money which was turned over to him Saturday night to cover the weekly payroll. William Scherer, father of the missing man, reports that he is also short in his accounts about \$400 which he believes his son made way with.

The men employed by Scherer say they asked him for their money Saturday night, but claiming he was unable to cash his check, told them he could not pay until Monday night, as he was going to attend the ball game at Raton Sunday, and would not return until Monday. The men

are still waiting for their money. The county officials have been notified of the affair and hope to land the gentleman in the county jail before he can leave the country.

Walker-Aitken.

Dr. Horatio Walker of Cimarron, and Miss Sarah Noble Aitken of New Castle, New Brunswick, Canada, were married in Trinidad last Saturday, the ceremony taking place at the First Presbyterian church and performed by the pastor, Rev. H. B. Hummel. The wedding was to have taken place in Canada over a year ago, but Dr. Walker's health failed and he was forced to seek a higher altitude.

After a year of "roughing it" on a New Mexico ranch, his health was completely restored and the wedding finally took place in Trinidad. Dr. and Mrs. Walker will reside in Cimarron.

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Brilliant.

Mrs. D. A. Sprinkle, of Orangeburg, S. C., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Baker, of Brilliant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brunelli spent Sunday in Raton.

Mrs. Walter Kerr and Mrs. George Phipps, of this place, spent Sunday in Raton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Jones and family were the guests of relatives in Raton Sunday.

Joseph Curran, of Blossburg; P. H. Smith, Tom Wilson and Lon Whitwell, of Brilliant, took in the ball game at Raton Sunday, and stated they had a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pearson and Miss Pearson were Raton visitors last Saturday.

John Bell, of Dawson, was a Blossburg visitor Sunday, returning to the former place Monday.

Mrs. E. O. Jones and Mrs. William Lark of Raton, were visiting Mrs. James Curran of Gardiner the first of the week.

Ed. Triplett, of Gardiner, returned last Monday from Denver and said he hated to come back on account of the good time he was having.

Mrs. P. H. Smith and son, who live on a ranch above Brilliant, were in Raton, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Quick and Mr. and Mrs. Dickens, of Gardiner, spent Sunday in Raton.

Ernest Curran of Van Houten, was the guest of Carr Robson in Delagua, Colo., several days last week.

Conductor Brennan found it necessary to take the wrecker Sunday afternoon to clear the track at Dunn Spur, on account of a car getting away from the washer that morning. Two of the cars were destroyed.